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In complete response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(e) dated March 30, 2000, enclosed please find: [X]a Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney signed by the inventor(s) and the surcharge of [] \$65.00 (205) [X] \$130.00 (105) as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e); Note that the inventor(s) identified on the currently filed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney are different than listed on the application filing papers. [] a Statement Claiming Small Entity Status; [] a Request for Refund; Ί. a Petition for Extension of Time; a verified English translation of the Application, and the \$130.00 (139) fee as set [] forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(k); an Assignment document and a separate check for the Assignment recordation fee;

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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